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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Defective Response dated June 18, 2007 (copy attached) for the above-identified application, Applicants respectfully attach the following:

- 1) Substitute Declaration/Power of Attorney;
- 2) Amended Application Data Sheet; and
- 2) Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for five months
(PTO/SB/22) in duplicate.

Applicants respectfully submit herewith a substitute Declaration/Power of Attorney which correctly identifies the citizenship of both inventors. The Declaration/Power of Attorney also reflects changes in the inventors' addresses, and an amended Application Data Sheet is also submitted herewith to facilitate the corrections.

Authorization is given herein to charge the any deficiencies in the fees not specifically authorized herein, or to further credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 503-013 in order to maintain the pendency of this application.

If there are any questions, please contact the undersigned attorney.

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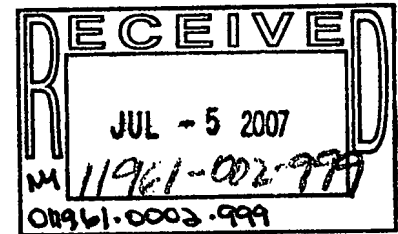
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NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495)

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/15/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/15/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 06/15/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 06/15/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 04/10/2007
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/15/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 06/15/2006
- Specification filed on 06/15/2006
- Claims filed on 06/15/2006
- Abstracts filed on 06/15/2006
- Drawings filed on 06/15/2006



Applicant's response filed 04/10/2007 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 02/13/2007 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - does not identify the citizenship of each inventor.

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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